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## Her Translation.

"Say, looky here!" demanded a chin-whiskered customer in the rapid-fire restaurant. "I want a good substantial meal; no frills or fixin's, understand, but suthin' that'll fill me up."

"Bale o' hay for the gent from Jimpson Junction!" calmly yelled Heloise, the waitress, back to the kitchen.—Kansas City Star.

## Important to Mothers

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## SOME ODD FACTS ABOUT COAL

Material Is Not Always Black in Color  
—Colliery Merely Derivation From Coalery.

A colliery used to be called a coalery. Coal-meter is an old name given to one who superintended the measuring of coals. Coalstone is a species of hard, opaque, inflammable coal, which does not soil or dirty the fingers when touched. It is jet-black, and can be cut. Brown coal has been found at Bovey, Devonshire and on the continent. Coal-hod is an old-fashioned name for scuttle. Gas light can be traced back over 200 years. A Mr. T. Shirley, in 1690, attributed a burning well at Wigan to the presence of coal underneath it. Just about this time a Mr. Clayton procured gas by distilling coal. Practical lighting, however, came very slowly. In 1729 a Mr. Murdoch illuminated his house with gaslight, and a very poor show it is said to have been. He lived at Redruth, Cornwall. In 1802, Birmingham, in celebrating the peace of Amiens, brightened up a large factory with gaslight. Thousands journeyed to see the wonderful sight—which led to gas-works being established at that place, and in Manchester and Halifax.—Montreal Herald.

## More Important.

A colored doughboy had just received his discharge and was making tracks at all possible speed for the station when he caught up with another one of his company, who demanded: "Hello, thah, Jackson; whah yo' goin'?" Jackson paused just long enough to shout back: "Ain't goin' nowhere, but, oh, man, look where I've comin' from."

It is better to leap over the ditch than trust to the pleadings of good men.—Spanish proverb.

It is no sign of a duck's nest to see feeders on de fense.—American negro.

# THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

## IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE.

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

## WESTERN

A one-pound baby born Christmas night to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pruitt of Abilene, Texas, displays evidence of robust health. The child is kept wrapped in cotton and takes nourishment regularly.

Chester H. Rowell of Fresno, Calif., recently appointed by President Wilson to be a member of the United States Shipping Board, announced that he soon would give up his work on that institution to become a member of California's State Railroad Commission.

A boy 15 years old was arrested for robbing the law office of Governor-elect Pat M. Neff of Waco, Texas. The thief broke open Mr. Neff's desk and filled his pockets with gold pens and other valuables. The boy had been released on probation two days before Christmas.

Dick Russell of Maud, Texas, who was shot by Constable John Ing in an altercation after Russell had invited Ing to take dinner with him, died in a hospital. Ing is held on a warrant charging murder. He said Russell became abusive and that he shot to protect himself. Ing is 62 years old and has been peace officer for twenty-six years.

Charging a special grand jury convened at Fort Worth, Texas, to investigate the lynching of Tom Vickery, District Judge Hoesey declared the evidence to be submitted "probably would show men in uniform broke into the county jail, took the prisoner out and hanged him." Reports have been current that policemen were implicated in the affair. Vickery was under a charge of shooting and killing Police-man Jeff Couch.

With his soda fountain serving as a breastworks, and with fountain glassware taking the place of hand grenades, George F. Cave, proprietor of a drug store at Ogden, Utah, put to rout three young bandits, one of whom was armed, when the trio attempted to rob his store. The bandit front wavered when Cave hurled a couple of syrup bowls, but it took the heavy artillery in the form of a five-gallon bottle to send the three scampering to safety.

## WASHINGTON

Miss Margaret Wade, a well known newspaper writer, has accepted the position of social secretary to Mrs. Harding.

One hundred more men will be employed to guard Kentucky whiskey warehouses against robbery. The increase will make a total of 300 guards employed by the government in Kentucky and their salaries will aggregate \$510,000, it was estimated.

The State Public Utilities Commission has vacated an order issued last August providing that railroads could ship nothing but coal in coal cars, thus making coal cars available for any kind of shipment. The commission's action was taken, it was announced, "after a careful investigation had shown that it was no longer necessary to give such priority to coal shipment."

Passage of the soldiers' bonus bill would cost the government approximately \$2,300,000,000, Secretary Houston estimated before the Senate finance committee considering the soldiers' aid measure.

Wholesale liquor dealers are forbidden to deal in both industrial alcohol and intoxicating liquor under a new prohibition regulation issued by the bureau of internal revenue. Industrial alcohol is defined by the bureau regulations as the various forms of ethyl alcohol "having a proof of 100 degrees or more, and does not include the substances commonly known as whisky, brandy, rum or gin."

A representative of the British treasury will reach this country soon, Secretary Houston said, to continue in Washington the discussion of the exchange into long time obligations of the demand notes of the British government held by the United States. The British debt at this time is \$4,196,000,000. Under the Liberty bond act the secretary of the treasury is authorized to effect the exchange at a rate of interest not less than that borne by the demand instrument, Secretary Houston said.

The Interstate Commerce Commission was requested by a resolution, introduced by Senator Nelson, Republican, of Minnesota, and passed, to ascertain and report the increased cost of railroad fuel consumed during 1920, as compared with 1919.

Two of the bills carrying appropriations to run the government during the year beginning next July 1, reached the House and were given more than the usual preliminary scrutiny because of the announced intention of Republican leaders to cut government expenditures.

## FOREIGN

The effectiveness of the German army have been reduced to 100,000 in accordance with the Spa agreement with the allies. It was announced in Berlin. The population of France was reduced by 4,000,000 during the war, said Louis Mourier, the new director of public assistance, in discussing measures to be taken by the Seine departmental council to reduce infant mortality.

The French Socialist party by a large majority, voted in favor of absolute affiliation with the Moscow international. Efforts are now proceeding to keep the Socialist party intact but the probability seems to be that the organizations should be split in two.

King Constantine has declared to delegations from the provinces that he must go to the Smyrna front. He is receiving telegrams of felicitation from all parts of the country. Constantine slowly and carefully is formulating the speech with which he will open parliament on Jan. 8.

Official protest against the exhibition of a moving picture film portraying the execution of Edith Cavell, who was put to death by the Germans in Brussels, Oct. 15, 1915, was made at Havana, Cuba, by Dr. Franz Karl Zittmann, German minister to Cuba. As a result of his protest to the State Department the film was withdrawn.

The Tientsin government mint has concluded a loan for \$1,000,000 with the Sino-French bank, giving that institution the right to purchase all bullion and also to take charge of the output of silver dollars and copper coins, according to reliable reports from that city. The funds supplied through the bank are Japanese.

Cancellation of President Iroyen's usual holiday trip gave strength to rumors of an impending general strike at Buenos Aires. Workers generally were said to be planning a walkout to support ferry hands and naphtha workers. The president's trip was postponed "because of the extraordinary situation now prevailing," according to newspapers.

Striking miners in the Rhondda coal field district of Scotland have voted to resume work pending negotiations between their employers and the South Wales executive committee. A general strike of the miners in the district was reported Dec. 22, following refusal of one company to reinstate eleven men who had been dismissed on the ground that their work was not remunerative to the firm.

## GENERAL

Four men are seeking to recover in court at Milwaukee \$725 lost in an African domino game in which it is alleged "loaded" dice were used.

An entire family of seven was wiped out by a fire at Fairfield, Conn. The victims were Felix Yackimovitch, 54; his three sons, and three daughters.

Retail prices of practically all clothing reached their lowest levels since 1914 in Chicago when merchants advertised gigantic clearance sales, throwing millions of dollars' worth of goods on the market this week.

Three children and a woman were burned to death and two other children and their father narrowly escaped the same fate near Mount Morris, N. Y., when the home of William Barrett was destroyed.

A red-hot rivet, dropped by workers in the hold of the oil tanker Charles Evarest, at dry dock, Redhook, Brooklyn, caused an explosion which killed one man, seriously injured two and slightly hurt a dozen others, at the same time virtually destroying the vessel.

The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company of Akron, Ohio, announced a deficit for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, of \$15,047,038, not including anticipated losses on contractual obligations for rubber and fabrics which are expected to be approximately \$19,000,000, notwithstanding that sales exceeded \$200,000,000, the largest in the history of the company.

More than a score of women and children were partially overcome and a panic among the 200 guests was narrowly averted during a fire in the Burnet house in Cincinnati. The fire originated in a storeroom in the basement. Firemen rescued all occupants and the fire was confined to the basement.

John Doyle, an A. E. F. veteran, was killed in the subway when he leaped in front of an express train at the Seventy-second street station in New York. Doyle served in France with a machine gun battalion and was suffering from shell shock when he returned. Up to two weeks ago he worked in a ship yard, but because of the state of his nerves, due to shell shock, went to a base hospital.

Plans have been completed for a new six-story \$4,000,000 postoffice building at Chicago to handle parcel post exclusively. Work will start about March 1. The new building, which is to be located in the heart of the railroad terminal district, will have underground loading platforms 800 feet long, capable of accommodating forty-two railway mail cars at a time. With three shifts a day, 126 cars can be handled.

Fire which broke out in the plant of the Wilmington Leather Company, Wilmington, Del., caused damage estimated by James I. Ford, treasurer of the company, at \$2,500,000, and upset plans for employing 800 men and women to relieve the unemployment situation in this city.

Boston is said to have become the greatest fishing port in the world with the announcement that 122,226,000 pounds of ground fish had been brought there during 1920, shattering all records for the last thirty-two years.

# HONOR FOR CANADA

Wins Championships at International Live Stock Show.

Splendid Exhibits, Both of Animals and Grain, Won Admiration of Judges and Spectators.

One of the most interesting sights at the International Live Stock show at Chicago was the evening parades of horses and cattle. As the Canadian section of these parades came into view, and as it passed around the ring, there was continued applause. There were two or three reasons for this, the principal one being that in this section there were the wonderful Clydesdales, the Belgians and the Percherons that had carried off championships and first prizes. The province of Saskatchewan had a splendid display of Clydesdales and showed in a number of classes, and in every class they got in the money. A remarkable and noted winning was that of the University of Saskatchewan, showing "Lady Bruce," female Clydesdale, in a class of 24 and taking second. In competition there were entries from such famous studs as Conyngham Bros. of Wilkesbarre, P. L. James of Easton, Mass., and George Chieft of the same state. She was beaten by an imported mare, but was later made champion American-bred mare and reserve grand champion, an honor never before conferred upon anything but an imported animal.

The following are some of the good things that Canada won at the international, in a fair fight and no favors. Grand championship for Clydesdale stallions; championship for American-bred Clydesdale mares; reserve senior and reserve grand championships for Clydesdale mares; grand championship for Southdown sheep; sweepstakes grand championship for wheat for the continent of America; championship for Durum wheat for America.

Another of the reasons for the applause given the Canadian sections of the parade was the heartiness with which the American spirit was imbued that impelled it to greet with the fullest appreciation the efforts of the winner, and the hundreds of Canadians in the immense audience of the amphitheater appreciated it.

The purpose that Canada had in making exhibits from their farms, whether it was of live stock—and they had it there in all branches—grains, grasses or roots, was to demonstrate that the war had not created devastation, that the country was alive with interest in the matter of production and that it had ability to produce in a manner that would bring it championships, and what better place than the International, where it would be placed before thousands, many of whom, with the enlightenment thus gained and with a desire to better their condition, would be made to realize that in the neighboring country to the north there was an opportunity that it might be of advantage to them to embrace.—Advertisement.

## Putting Her Foot in It.

Irvin S. Cobb talked recently at Greenwich Village about tact.

"Tact," he said, "is a priceless and rare art, which sometimes gets us in hot water when we try to practice it. Like the young Red Cross nurse.

"Meeting this young lady during the war at a luncheon in Tours, I happened to remark:

"I am looking round, you see."

"Oh, not so very, Mr. Cobb," the kind-hearted girl remonstrated, tactfully."

## Its Kind.

"Some scientist now rises to remark that bees have a language of their own."

"I bet they use it chiefly to make stinging remarks."

Destruction is a word that only grows on dunghills.

# IN YE OLDEN TIME



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## Like and Unlike.

The death of Anders Zorn, the famous etcher, brought the talk round to Whistler, and a Pittsburgh poet said: "Whistler and Walter Sickert were once printing etchings together. Sickert, stumbling, had the misfortune to drop a copper plate.

"How like you!" said Whistler, lolly.

"Hardly five minutes later Whistler, usually the dearest, surest of men, dropped a copper plate himself. He stooped and picked it up. Then he murmured:

"How unlike me!"

## A Total Loss.

"Why did you discharge your new clerk?"

"He was too accommodating," said the grocer.

"What?"

"He kept opening canned goods to show lady shoppers they were in a fine state of preservation."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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